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In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed December 3, 2010, enclosed is a completed Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85b.

INTERVIEW SUMMARY

The Examiner telephoned the undersigned on November 12, 2010, to ask whether it was acceptable to amend claim 33 to insert the term “cultured” after the phrase “of claim 8 into a.” The undersigned authorized the Examiner to make this claim amendment.

A total payment of \$1,810 for the issue fee (\$1,510) and the publication fee (\$300) is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply any required charges or credits to our Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 14875-0057002.

Respectfully submitted,

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